Senior Advisory Committee April 29, 2013 Town Hall, Old Town Road 9:30 a.m.

Present: Chair Gail Pierce, Betsey DeMaggio, Linda Spak, Deborah Martin and Susie

Wright

Absent: Dorothy Graham, Ann Henault, Sandra Hopf, and Sandra Kelly

The meeting was called to order by Chair Gail Pierce at 9:30 a.m.

Approve the Minutes of April 16, 2013

Ms. Spak moved to approve the minutes as amended . The motion was seconded by Ms. Wright.

Ayes 5 (Pierce, DeMaggio, Martin, Spak, Wright) Nays 0
Absent 4 (Hopf, Graham, Henault, Kelly)

Discuss and act on strategy and communications for Financial Town Meeting

Ms Spak Suggested that we ask for an additional \$5,000 for covering the Senior Coordinators position 10 hours a week . A motion was made by Ms. Spak to ask for an additional \$5,000 at the Financial Town Meeting to cover the Senior Coordinator position at 10 hours per week. The motion was seconded by Ms. Pierce, carried by all present.

Ayes 5 (Pierce, DeMaggio, Martin, Spak, Wright) Nays 0 Absent 4 (Hopf, Graham, Henault, Kelly)

A fact sheet was compiled to be sent out to the SAC and then forwarded by them to as many Block Islanders as possible.

Fact Sheet

A motion from the floor will be made at the Financial Town Meeting to grant the Senior Advisory Committee an additional \$5,000 to fund the numerous activities for the upcoming fiscal year. This past year we have had approximately 165 programs with more than 180 participants.

According to the 2010 US Census, there were 265 people aged 65 and over living year round on Block Island.

Please come to the Annual Town Financial Meeting

Monday, May 6 7:00 o'clock BI School Gym

Please come and support the Senior Advisory Committee!!

At 10:35 a motion was made by Ms. DeMaggio to and seconded by Ms. Wright to adjourn and unanimously approved.

Gail Pierce

Approved: May 21, 2013